

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 10, line 5, with the following amended paragraph:

External circuit 9 is configured of pulse width measurement ~~detection~~ circuit 5.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 10, line 6 and ending on line 7, with the following amended paragraph:

Internal circuit 18 includes clock divider circuit 1, delay circuit 85, EXOR circuit 4, ~~pulse width measurement circuit 5~~, and latch circuit 6.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 10, line 13 and ending on line 18, with the following amended paragraph:

When pulse width measurement ~~detection~~ circuit 5 receives from EXOR circuit 4 through terminal 101 a signal having a pulse of no less than a predetermined width, it outputs data of the high level through terminal 102 to latch circuit 6. When pulse width measurement ~~detection~~ circuit 5 receives from EXOR circuit 4 a signal having a pulse of less than the predetermined width, it outputs data of the low level through terminal 102 to latch circuit 6.